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TO : Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

DATE: 17 October 1956

FROM : Chief, School of International Communism

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report No. 42
10 October - 17 OctoberI. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

Nothing to report.

II. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. Introduction to Communism No. 2, incorporating several changes suggested by staff and student critiques after the September course, began on 15 October with 120 students enrolled. Of this number, thirteen are new registrants who will be attending only the Introduction to Communism phase of IOC.

2. [] met with DDTR and [] OCR on 12 October to discuss reactions to last week's program at the Department of Agriculture. [] reported on the reaction of a Division Chief at Agriculture who attended a section of the program. His reaction to the substance of the program seemed generally to be favorable and adverse comments were directed primarily to the administrative procedures which were the responsibility of the Foreign Agricultural Service training officer.

3. Mr. Bates of FAS reports that a large majority of the people whom he canvassed had favorable reactions, with a few stating that the coverage in the program was somewhat too elementary. He has had several requests for copies of the lectures, and also reports that the program has stimulated additional registrations for the Communist Seminar at FSI. The Administrator of FAS, and the Deputy Administrator for Management, both of whom attended the program, have suggested that [] return for a shorter session with branch and division chiefs of FAS.

4. Presentations: Covert Training

[] 15-16 October 16 hours.

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III. PERSONNEL NOTES

25X1 1. [] SR, who is under consideration for assignment to SIC, informed me on 16 October that he had been offered a challenging field assignment and will take it. [] is extremely interested in joining the SIC and has extremely high qualifications as an instructor. He stated that he would like a teaching assignment here after his return from his overseas assignment.

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